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L1630200005 St. Clair County - Sauget Superfund/Fiscal

January 8, 1987

Mike Miller, Project Manager Ecology and Environment 111 West Jackson Blvd. Chicago, Illinois 60604

Dear Mike:

In the second week of December, 1986 Ecology and Environment commenced with the well drilling operations through a subcontractor. Cuttings and water from the wells which produce a significant reading on an HNU have been contained and stored near your on-site office location.

IEPA is presently formulating a policy addressing this very problem, and the actions necessary at individual sites to secure, transport, and store/destroy the contaminants from drilling operations. Because we are presented with this problem at this time and drums containing waste are being stored on private property in Sauget, it is essential that an Agency decision be forthcoming at this time. IEPA is requesting that Ecology and Environment prepare a cost estimate for performing the necessary sampling, work, permit application, and removal operation and oversight work.

Please prepare and submit this requested information so that we may review and contact you as per approval and timing. IEPA will adopt the finished price submitted at the close of this phase of work to the contracted S.O.W.

Sincerely,

Jeff Larson

Federal Site Management Unit Remedial Project Management

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